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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In Re Application of: | Wolter, Schumann and Seide |
| Application No.: | 10/070862 |
| Filed: | September 14, 2000 |
| For: | FIXATION SYSTEM FOR BONES |
| Group Art Unit: | 3733 |

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Docket No: H01.2I-10378-US01

PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1.136

Applicant(s) hereby request a three month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed November 20, 1007. This petition is accompanied by \$1,050.00 as set forth in 37 CFR §1.17 and is filed prior to or with the response.

Any outstanding fee for extension should be charged to our Deposit Account, No. 22-0350.

Respectfully submitted,
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